APPENDIX A

VERSION OF SPECIFICATION AND CLAIMS WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 2-23 are newly added, so no marked-up version is shown for these claims.

- 1. (Once Amended) A computer system comprising:
 - a controller to generate a power state status signal [indicating the] to indicate

 a power state[s] of a first plurality of components of the computer system;

 and
 - a voltage regulator [coupled] to supply a voltage level to the <u>first</u> plurality of components <u>and</u> to increase [an output] <u>the</u> voltage level to the first plurality of components when the first plurality of components enters a sleep state, as indicated by the power state status signal.